Kentucky High School Feedback Reports College Going, Class of 2009-2010

Overview

The Kentucky High School Feedback Report is produced as a joint effort by the Kentucky P-20 Data Collaborative, the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE), Council on Postsecondary Education (CPE), Education Professional Standards Board (EPSB), the Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet, and the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA). This report provides the most complete and accurate data about college going that exists for Kentucky's public high schools. It follows students who graduated from high school in 2010 and identifies how many went on to enroll in a college or university during the 2010-2011 academic year.

These data are not collected from a survey or self-reported by the student. These data are provided by matching actual student level electronic records from the Kentucky Department of Education with official enrollment records from the Council on Postsecondary Education for students attending public two- and four-year institutions and independent colleges and universities and from the National Student Clearinghouse with the assistance of KHEAA for other private and out-of-state institutions.

The purpose of this report is to provide comparative information about students who graduated from Kentucky's public High Schools in 2009-2010 and subsequently enrolled in postsecondary institutions at any point during the 2010-2011 academic year. All information in this report is based only on the students who were identified as graduates.

Page 1: A. Overall how does this High School compare to others in Kentucky?

This page provides an overview of this school's graduating class of 2010 and highlights some important statistics about the school or area. Students' performance information includes the graduation rate, as reported from the Kentucky Average Freshmen Graduation Rate (KYAFGR), and academic information from the graduates' junior year ACT scores. Some students do retake the ACT and their scores change after the ones reported in this report; however, according to KDE these junior year scores are the most complete and comparable scores to use. These scores should not be compared to scores previously reported on past high school feedback reports. This page also includes information on in-state and out-of-state college going rates. The readiness percentages in the quick statistics box refer to the percent of students who met the CPE benchmark's for college readiness in their junior year ACT statewide administration. Alternative schools do not have high school feedback reports and are not included in any school's high school feedback report. Their numbers are included in district totals.

Page 2: What types of colleges and universities did graduates from this High School attend?

These numbers refer to the enrollments of graduates from this high school in 2010 in postsecondary institutions in the 2010-2011 academic school year. The Kentucky P-20 data collaborative used data from KDE, matched with CPE and KHEAA to obtain information about where the graduates where enrolled. The College Going Rates for Graduates by Demographic Characteristics shows the

percentage of graduates that enrolled in a college or university within each demographic category. If a category is missing, the number of students in that category was too small to report. Refer to the High School Feedback Report Technical Notes section on redaction rules for additional information.

Page 3: Additional information on these High School graduates and their postsecondary enrollments.

The first graph gives the breakdown of enrollment patterns for this high school's 2010 graduates. If students are enrolled in more than one institution, they will be counted in both categories. Therefore, the total number of students enrolled may not match the college going rate for this high school. The second graphic represents the average ACT composite scores for this high school's 2010 graduates based on the type of postsecondary institution they enrolled in. If a category is missing, the number of students in that category was too small to report. Refer to the High School Feedback Report Technical Notes section on redaction rules for additional information.

Page 4: What institutions did graduates of this High School attend?

This page lists the in-state and out-of-state colleges and universities in which the class of 2010 enrolled in the 2010-2011 academic year. The list of colleges is organized by the most attended. The vast majority of public and private high schools outside of Kentucky do participate; however, a small number of colleges and universities do not participate in the National Student Clearinghouse's student tracker system and cannot be included because their enrollments cannot be authenticated through this process.